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Classified By: Political External Unit Chief Edgard Kagan. Reasons 1.4
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(C) The DCM informed MFA Director General for North American Affairs Liu Jieyi March 16 of the upcoming release of the President's 2006 National Security Strategy Report, stressing the U.S. desire that the PRC hear a preview of the report directly from us. Liu thanked the DCM for the advance notice of the report, which he said would be studied closely by Chinese officials and experts. Poloff subsequently faxed a copy of ref tel points to one of Liu's assistants, who commented approvingly that the points made no reference to China.
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